



CHEVY CHASE VILLAGE CRIER

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IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Monday, May 13, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.
Board of Managers' Meeting
Chevy Chase Village Hall

May 7: Chevy Chase@Home Event
May 16: Many Hands Event
May 18: Garden Club of Chevy Chase's
Chevy Chase Garden Tour (*see enclosed flier*)
May 19: Seriously Fun Singers Event
May 20: MVA on Wheels
May 27: Memorial Day - Village Offices and
Public Works Closed
Starting May 29: NEW! Dance and Song
Class for Seniors - Every Wednesday (*see
enclosed flier for class description and to register*)

June Appeal/Variance Deadline:
Monday, May 20 by 5:00 p.m.

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ANNUAL MEETING NOTES

The 105th Chevy Chase Village Annual Meeting was held on April 15. The evening began with light refreshments and an opportunity for attending residents, including Board Members and members of the Village's Commissions and Committees, to socialize.

Chair of the Village's Board of Managers Ms. Elissa A. Leonard began the Annual Meeting by presenting the State of the Village report (see below article). The Board adopted the budget for the fiscal year ending June 30, 2020. The Village expects to end the current fiscal year with a surplus due to increased income tax revenues and below budget spending, bringing the Village's reserves balance to approximately \$9.9 million.

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STATE OF THE VILLAGE REPORT

Elissa A. Leonard, Chair of the Chevy Chase Village Board of Managers, presented the State of the Village report during the 105th Annual Meeting. Below is a summary of Ms. Leonard's report:

- The Village received designation as a Tree City USA by the Arbor Day Foundation. The Village's first annual Arbor Day Celebration was held last April and this year's event would be held in Newlands Park on April 27.
- Amended the Village's Animal Control Ordinance to allow for the establishment of rules and regulations for the operation of a municipal dog park.
- Approved improvements to the Buffer as proposed by the Parks & Greenspaces Committee. Some of the proposed improvements were put on hold while stormwater management needs are addressed.
- Adopted an ordinance to regulate the deployment of small cell towers in the Village and closely monitored legislation at the federal, state and county level.
- In response to concerns raised by residents of the street, approved the installation of a new STOP sign on westbound Newlands Street where it intersects at Newlands Park to aid in safer navigation of the intersection.
- In support of the efforts of the Friends of Chevy Chase Circle, the Board authorized our Public Works staff to water the new plantings installed in the traffic splitter on Connecticut Avenue at the north side of the Circle.
- Replacement of the sidewalks in the Buffer and those surrounding the Village Hall.

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- Monitored redevelopment at The Collection at Chevy Chase, and staff worked closely with the owners of the property to implement pedestrian and driver safety measures on the Montgomery Street side of the property at the new traffic roundabout.
- Necrology - Ms. Leonard led a moment of silence in remembrance of Village residents who had passed during the prior year George Kinter (Hesketh Street), Valery Amiel (Wisconsin Avenue), Dierdre Parrot (Grove Street), Tom Marmet (Quincy Street), and Jud Parmar (East Kirke Street)

Ms. Leonard presented a Proclamation in recognition of Ms. Minh Le's contributions to the community over the past few years. Ms. Le's term will end in June and she did not seek reelection to the Board. Ms. Leonard extended a personal thanks to the dedicated Chevy Chase Village staff, her fellow Board members, committee chairs and members as well as Village Counsel, Ms. Suellen Ferguson.

The following reports were also provided during the April 15 Annual Meeting:

ANNUAL REPORT ON PUBLIC SAFETY

- Chief Fitzgerald reported that in 2017, the Village experienced the lowest number of thefts in a 10-year period (36), however in 2018 the number went back up to 75 thefts. Residents were again reminded to remove valuables from their vehicles and lock their car doors every time they leave their vehicle.
- The department implemented a digital parking citation solution, updated the department's Use of Force policy to incorporate language to mandate de-escalation tactics and other best practices, and implemented a written policy to provide clear guidance to officers regarding the new medical marijuana law.
- The department worked with the county's Park Police to implement a security camera system in Western Grove Park and our agencies are currently working on a formal reciprocal enforcement MOU with the Park Police.
- The department is planning to purchase replacement police cruisers in FY2020 that will be hybrid-powered.

ANNUAL REPORT ON VILLAGE FINANCES, BUDGET OVERVIEW

- Board Treasurer Gary Crockett reported that Village finances remain in good order, with income tax revenue exceeding expectations in FY2019 by \$1 million, however, because it appears this was a single-year windfall, projections for FY2020 were held at the FY2019 budgeted level of \$2.2 million. *SafeSpeed* Program revenues continue to decline approximately 15% each year and now represent about 10% of overall revenues received (net of expenses). The current fiscal year will end with a surplus.
- The FY2020 budget reflects no major operational, service or personnel changes. Under the capital program, the Village looks to spend approximately \$100,000 in support of the Municipal Storm Drain Project for design and planning and implementation of a pilot project on the west side of the Village. A substantial amount may be spent in coming years under this Village-wide project.
- Village reserves are currently large enough to cover 2.5 times the operating budget so we remain in a good financial position to cover such a project while maintaining a healthy contingency.
- The Investment Policy is being revised to improve cash-flow management and to access better investment options that provide a greater return through U.S. treasuries, an investment source the Village was not previously able to access.

COMMISSION/COMMITTEE ANNUAL REPORTS

During the Village's Annual Meeting held the evening of April 15, several commissions/committees presented reports outlining their activities over the past year and their goals for the coming year. Below is a synopsis of each presentation.

- **Community Relations Committee:** Lance Patterson, Chair outlined the local residents that had been featured in the various timely and interesting Speaker Series events and the committee's continued efforts to welcome new residents to the Village. The Speaker Series featured notable speakers including a historian, journalist, curator, researcher from the Senate, congressman and attorney. In the coming year, the committee will continue the Speaker Series and welcomes ideas and suggestions.
- **Ethics Commission:** Frank (Scot) McCulloch reported that during the preceding year the commission had received no accusations of ethical misconduct filed against any Village officials or ethics disputes relating to any pending issues. The commission had reviewed the Financial Disclosure Statements filed by candidates and sitting members of the Board as well as applicable members of the staff, and all were found to be in good order and with no noted conflicts of interest.
- **Financial Review Committee:** Chair Louis Morsberger advised that the committee was working with Board Treasurer Gary Crockett and staff to update the Village Investment Policy. The committee had reviewed the proposed FY2020 budget and worked with the Village's auditor in review of the audited statements for FY2019. The committee is seeking to fill an open position.

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- **Public Safety Committee:** Chair Saul Goodman highlighted the benefits of the Village's 24/7 police and Communications Center. He noted that his committee provides feedback to the Board and Police Chief on public safety matters and serves as a liaison to the Bethesda District of the Montgomery County Police. He underscored that crime in the Village seems to be patterned by car break-ins of unlocked cars and urged residents to lock their cars at night and especially not leave keys in the car. There is also an opening on the committee and Mr. Goodman welcomes interested residents to join.
- **Environment & Energy Committee:** Co-Chair Dr. Marea Hatzios encouraged attendees to participate in Community Solar incentive programs, organic landscaping, the Village's composting program and to look for ways to reduce, reuse and recycle. The committee has reviewed the Village's landscaping contract for reduced use of pesticides, unnecessary fertilizers and subscribing to best practices. Provided an on-going brief to the Board on the implementation of Montgomery County's legislation on The Healthy Lawns Act 52-14.
- **Parks and Greenspaces Committee:** Co-Chairs Margo Kingston and Susan Kilborn highlighted the committee's focus on installing additional benches, plantings and maintenance of the Village's parks and greenspaces. The committee also monitored and advised the Board regarding the preservation and improvement of rights-of-ways and the buffer area. The committee selected the planting of lady ferns at the back of the Saks 5th Avenue store along Belmont Avenue. Members worked with the Tree Committee to organize an event for Arbor Day scheduled for Saturday, April 27. The committee welcomes new members.
- **Seniors Committee:** Chair Betty O'Connor welcomed residents to attend the committee's ongoing events, in partnership with Chevy Chase@Home. In the last year, the committee held 16 events: a 2-part series on Smart DriveTech with AARP, strategies for supporting the brain with an expert from Sibley Hospital, a briefing on mid-term elections and another on the many construction projects in the area, technical events on social media with hands-on experience, a Montgomery County K-9 Unit demonstration, instructions on writing your own obituary, facilitated an on-going dance therapy program and much more! Residents of all ages are encouraged to attend these events.

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Village Manager Ms. Shana Davis-Cook presented a summary of the administrative staff's work and other highlights from the past year, including:

- The Village received a clean audit for the fiscal year ended June 30, 2018.
- 110 building permits were reviewed and approved.
- 12 variance and special permit requests were prepared for the Board's consideration.
- 4 administrative appeals were approved along with 10 licenses for private improvements in public rights-of-way.
- 114 trees were approved for removal upon recommendation by the Village Arborist, after assessing them to be either dead, sick, declining or hazardous and 37% of permit applicants indicated an intention to reforest.
- 24 new families moved into the Village.
- We are reengaging our efforts to secure a three color signal on Connecticut Avenue at Lenox Street.
- We opened the first down-county municipal dog park last summer at Brookville Road Park.
- The Board has increased the budget allocation for the Municipal Storm Drain Project.

The Village extends special thanks to Susan Kilborn (Oliver St.) and members of the Garden Club of Chevy Chase for providing floral arrangements for the evening.

BUILDING PERMITS ISSUED

APRIL 2019

35 West Lenox Street	Replace the sewer line from the house to the street
6305 Broad Branch Rd	Install synthetic turf in rear yard
111 Summerfield Road	Construct dry well
5500 Cedar Pkwy	Drill tests for WSSC project (ROW)
8 East Melrose Street	Replace fence in the rear yard
3921 Oliver Street	Relocate generator
137 Grafton Street	Construct expanded stoop, steps, and portico
105 Oxford Street	Replace fence in the side, rear yards
22 Hesketh Street	Replace walkway, stairs with brick
5500 Park Street	Remove existing service feed/ Install heavier gauge wire and new pole
6 West Kirke Street	Install drainage inlets in rear yard and pipe through ROW to curb
5918 Cedar Parkway	Replace heating pumps on left side of yard near existing HVAC units
5405 Center Street	Replace fence
3 Grafton	Replace front walkway with flagstone
7 Grafton Street	Construct a stone seat wall in the northeast corner of the rear yard

Remember to contact the Village to confirm permitting requirements **BEFORE** you begin work on your property.

BOARD ACTIONS:

APRIL 8, 2019 BOARD OF MANAGERS' MEETING

Approval of Previous Board Meetings' Minutes

- March 11, 2019 Executive Session - *approved*
- March 11, 2019 Regular Monthly Meeting - *approved*
- March 22, 2019 Special Meeting - *approved*

Variance Requests

- **A-7480 (Variance) 34 West Kirke Street:**
 - a) Maintain a terrace which was constructed and which encroaches a maximum of three feet, one inch (3'-1"); and
 - b) Construct proposed steps which would encroach a maximum of four feet, two inches (4'-2") both forward of the twenty-five (25) foot front (Cedar Parkway) building restriction line. - *withdrawn by the applicant.*

Matters Presented for Board Consideration and Possible Action

- **Purchase Authorization Request:**
Purchase and authorize PEPCO to install a new streetlight to be attached to an existing PEPCO power pole between 5506 and 5508 Center Street. - *approved*
- **Resolution No. 04-01-19:** An Ordinance to amend the Fiscal Year 2019 Budget to transfer a total of \$161,000 from the "Public Safety Technology", "Police Cruisers", and "Street Maintenance" line items in the capital budget to the "Municipal Storm Drain System" line item in the capital budget (\$148,243) and to a newly created "Brookville Road Park Development" line item (\$12,757) in the capital budget, to fund these projects. - *adopted as drafted*
- **Resolution No. 04-02-19:** A Resolution to authorize the Village to open and maintain an account with UBS Financial Services, Inc., for the investment of Village funds, and to appoint Gary Crockett, Treasurer, Shana Davis-Cook, Village Manager, and Demetri Protos, Finance Director, to act as Authorized Persons with respect to the account. - *adopted as drafted*

Committee Matters

- **Building Facilities Commission:**
Board reappointment of Jane Maruszewski (Grafton Street) to serve as an alternate member for a five-year term, exp. April 2024 - *approved*

This is a synopsis of the Board's actions. To view an archive of the approved minutes, or to listen to audio recordings of the most recent Board Meetings, please visit the Village website: www.chevy ChaseVillageMD.gov by clicking on "Board of Managers Meetings" under the header "Quick Links" on the homepage.

Next Regular Board of Managers' Meeting: Monday, May 13, 2019 at 7:30 p.m.

DID YOU KNOW?

A listing of helpful reminders and information

- **No leaves in the street!** Leaf season is underway and residents—and their lawn maintenance crews—are reminded that leaf piles should NEVER be placed in the street. Doing so blocks access to storm drain inlets and limits available on-street parking.
- Dryer lint and paper napkins can be put in the Compost Crew compost container.
- The Village Police Department offers **free confidential home security surveys**. These surveys are used as a tool to identify weak areas of your home's security. Simple remedies can make your home safer and more secure. Interested residents should contact the Village Communications Center at (301) 654-7300.

MANY HANDS ANNUAL MEETING

-Thursday, May 16 @ 7:00 p.m.-

Many Hands members will vote to award their annual \$100,000 grant to a thoroughly vetted local nonprofit organization serving women, children, and families in need. Three additional finalist grants will also be awarded. Recent grantees include Friends of Guest House, Safe Shores, and Reach Incorporated.

To find out more about the mission of Many Hands, Inc. or to donate and become a voting member, please visit our website www.manyhandsdc.org or contact board member and Village resident Elizabeth Bausch (eliz.bausch@gmail.com). Together we can make a difference!

THE POLICE BEAT

E-mail Police Chief John M. Fitzgerald: john.m.fitzgerald@montgomerycountymd.gov

NEW COMMUNICATIONS CLERK JOINS THE VILLAGE POLICE DEPARTMENT ON APRIL 17



Racara Sawyer

Some of you may already have had the pleasure of meeting Ms. Racara Sawyer in the Village administrative office. Racara began working as a temporary contract employee in October, 2018 to fill in when another employee was on extended leave. For six months, Racara provided excellent service with her sunny personality and conscientious work ethic.

In late March, one of our veteran dispatchers announced that she would be retiring, so we began to recruit to fill the impending vacant position. We were delighted when Racara applied, and she stood out from the other applicants. As of April 17, 2019, Racara became a full-time Village employee and she has begun her training to perform her duties as a Communications Clerk on the night shift.

Please introduce yourself to Racara and make her feel welcome!

Our Key Program only works if we have your key!



If you have not already done so, please return your house key in case you or a family member gets locked out and so the Village Police can access your home in an emergency.

PROTECT YOUR IDENTITY



Placing outgoing mail in your mail slot may put you at risk for identity theft. Often, the outgoing item sits for hours until the mail carrier comes by, and in the meantime, a thief may take the item. It has happened to several residents. Although the

convenience makes it tempting to put it in the slot, please use one of the local mail boxes, or stop by our Post Office on the north end of the Village Hall.

SAVE THE DATE! "NATIONAL NIGHT OUT"

The Chevy Chase Village community and Police Department will participate in National Night Out the evening of:

Tuesday, August 6, 2019



This is a great time to meet your fellow residents, police department personnel, and other first responders. Please join us in Newlands Park from 6:30 p.m. to 8:30 p.m. for food, fun and giveaways!

NOISE START TIMES ENFORCED



With the weather getting warmer, many residents are hiring landscape crews and other contractors to maintain and make improvements to their properties. These contractors typically like to start early so they can avoid the heat of the day.

Residents are encouraged to remind their contractors and landscape crews that the Village noise ordinance prohibits the use of motorized equipment prior to 8:00 a.m. on weekdays and prior to 9:00 a.m. on weekends and holidays. The use of motorized equipment is not permitted after the hours of 6:00 p.m. The noise regulations are strictly enforced by citation and fine.

PLEASE LOCK YOUR VEHICLES

The vast majority of thefts that occur in the Village are from unlocked cars. We make it far too easy (and inviting) for thieves when we fail to lock our cars. The Village Police Department urges you to lock your car doors *every* time you park. And remove all valuables - or hide them at the very least.



Please do your civic duty; when you lock your car, you reduce opportunities for thieves and discourage them from returning to the Village.

COMMUNITY NEWS

THE SENIOR CORNER

Spring has arrived – and we have several interesting events planned for all.

Tuesday, May 7 - 6:45-8:30 P.M. - From the Maryland Attorney General Office, Jeannine Robinson-Hurley, the Education, Training and Outreach Coordinator will present a very informative program: “Scams: What You Need to Know”.

This a topic of special importance to all of us, especially older adults who are often targeted. Scammers are motivated by money; they prey on people who have wealth from retirement funds, and attempt to mine more information. Ms. Robinson will give us tips on how to identify a scam, some of the current scams, what to do if you think a caller is a scammer, and where to report such a call. Come and bring a friend to learn more.

-- SAVE THESE DATES --

Tuesday, June 11 - 2:00-4:00 P.M. - We will have Reid Dunavant, a senior executive with Doyle Appraisers. He will give us a behind-the-scenes view of the popular “Antiques Roadshow”. Mr. Dunavant served as an appraiser with the show from 2004-2016. Come and enjoy this interesting program.

Wednesday Evening, June 20 - 7:00-9:00 P.M. - How to Write Your Own Obituary. An informative interesting and fun evening with Sam Sloane. (More info. to come.)

Our July event will be our movie offering and in August we will have our Ice Cream Social with surprise entertainment. Dates to follow next month.

(Note: All Chevy Chase@Home members – don't forget to register for the 10th Anniversary Celebration of Chevy Chase at Home on May 19 at La Ferme.)

Remember our events here in the Village are open to everyone. We bring informative and entertaining programs to you in cooperation with Chevy Chase Village and Chevy Chase@Home.

We welcome suggestions for these events, and you may contact me at 301-656-0597 or email bettyoconnor2@verizon.net.

*Betty O'Connor
Chair, Village Committee for Seniors*

BOARD OF MANAGERS ELECTION:

UNCONTESTED;

ELECTION SUPERVISORS ANNOUNCES

SUCCESSFUL CANDIDATES AS DULY ELECTED

During the 105th Chevy Chase Village Annual Meeting held on April 15, Election Supervisors Chair Ms. Mary Sheehan reported that three incumbents, Gary Crockett, Richard Ruda and David Winstead, along with candidate Linda Willard were the only candidates to declare candidacy for the four available seats. All of the candidates had submitted their Certificates of Candidacy and Financial Disclosure Statements prior to the April 5 deadline and the Village Ethics Commission had reviewed the Financial Disclosure Statements having been duly filed. Therefore, the candidates were deemed elected.

A copy of the Elections Supervisors report is available on the Village website at www.chevychasevillagemd.gov.

Congratulations to Gary Crockett, Richard Ruda, Linda Willard and David Winstead on their election to the Village Board! All four will take the Oath of Office at the start of the June 10th regular Board Meeting.

JOIN THE CREW; *THE COMPOST CREW*

Food-waste recycling, otherwise known as “composting” is a great way to reduce your carbon footprint and greenhouse emissions and return nutrients to our soil and food system.

The Village has partnered with *The Compost Crew* to provide low-cost household collection of food-waste. *The Compost Crew* provides each household with an airtight bin and compostable bags; all you have to do is separate your organic waste and leave the bin by your trash and recycling receptacles for collection on the designated day for weekly pick-up. The collected waste is processed at a composting facility in Maryland and, after six months of service, households can request that a portion of your contributed waste be returned in the form of rich, finished compost or nutrient-rich soil.

For more information regarding the household composting collection service, including current rates, please visit the “Food Waste Recycling Program” page on the Village website under *Quick Links* on the homepage. The more households that sign-up, the cheaper the service is for all, so sign up today!

VILLAGE TEENS

Village teens are available for a variety of services. Please email the Village office at ccv@montgomerycountymd.gov to add a teen to the list and to make changes.

GARDEN TIPS OF THE MONTH - MAY 2019

Immediately after blooms fade, prune flowering shrubs and vines. After the last frost date (predicted to be May 15) plant warm-season vegetables.

*Brought to you by the Village's
Parks & Greenspaces Committee*



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The Village provides timely information through two email distribution lists:

Urgent News Blasts are emergency alerts that are sent out as-needed. Weekly **General News Blasts**, which are geared toward community events, Board Meetings, etc.

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BOARD OF MANAGERS

Elissa Leonard- *Chair*
Robert C. Goodwin, Jr. - *Vice-Chair*
David L. Winstead - *Secretary*
Richard M. Ruda - *Assistant Secretary*
Gary Crockett - *Treasurer*
Minh Le - *Assistant Treasurer*
Nancy E. Watters- *Board Member*

VILLAGE MANAGER

Shana R. Davis-Cook

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TRASH & RECYCLING COLLECTION; SPECIAL PICK-UPS

Resident input regarding the contracted services for trash and recycling collection is an important factor during the evaluation of these services. Please contact the Village office to provide your feedback.



The Village provides rear door collection of refuse and recycling as a convenience to our residents. Please leave your gates unlocked to allow access to your receptacles and remember to contact the Communications Center if either your refuse or recycling were not collected.

Special Pickups of bulk items are collected on Wednesdays. Requests must be submitted either by phone or through the Village website by **2:00 p.m. on the preceding Tuesday** to ensure collection.



Administration - MVA Services for You

The mobile service bus will visit the Friendship Heights Village Center along Friendship Boulevard on

Monday, May 20

from 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m.

For more information, call (301) 656-2797 or visit

www.FriendshipHeightsmd.gov

HOLIDAY CLOSINGS

The Administrative office and Public Works Department will be **closed** on **Monday, May 27** in observance of Memorial Day. The Communications Center and Police Department remain open 24 hours a day, seven days a week.

HOLIDAY COLLECTION SCHEDULE FOR REFUSE AND RECYCLING

Week of Memorial Day: May 27-May 31, 2019

IF YOUR NORMAL COLLECTION DAY IS...	YOUR COLLECTION DAY WILL BE...
Monday	Tuesday
Tuesday	Wednesday
Wednesday	Thursday
Thursday	Friday
Friday	Saturday

CHEVY CHASE AT HOME CLASSES



ZUMBA GOLD®

Wednesdays

11:30am-12:30pm

May 29-July 24

w/ Sharon Gelboin-Katz, Instructor

MUSIC & MOVEMENT FOR SENIORS

Wednesdays

2:30pm-3:30pm

May 29-July 24

w/ Robert Sacheli & Roy Barber, Instructors

LOCATION: CHEVY CHASE VILLAGE HALL

5906 CONNECTICUT AVENUE

CHEVY CHASE, MD 20815

EMAIL: info@chevychaseathome.org

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AGES ARE
WELCOME!**

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At least one week prior
to class start. Drop-ins
welcome on a space -
available basis.

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CC@Home Member

\$108 Community

MUSIC & MVMT

\$135 CCV Resident/
CC@Home Member

\$153 Community

**SEE REVERSE FOR
CLASS DESCRIPTIONS
& REGISTRATION**

**CHEVY CHASE
VILLAGE**
ESTABLISHED 1900

DISCOVER TREASURED GARDENS CHEVY CHASE GARDEN TOUR

SATURDAY, MAY 18TH

10 AM - 5 PM

RAIN OR SHINE



The Garden Club of Chevy Chase hosts
A Tour of Eight Charming Private Gardens in Historic Chevy Chase Village

Shop our Garden Boutique with Myrtle Topiaries,
Annuals, Herbs and Unique Garden Related Items.

Tickets \$30 prior to May 18th

Tickets \$40 Day of Tour

Tickets and Information online at
GARDENCLUBOFCHEVYCHASE.ORG

Benefiting the restoration of Chevy Chase Circle, improvements
to Western Grove Park and other community projects.

PUBLIC HEARING NOTICE
**Residency Requirement for Access to the
Brookville Road Park Dog Exercise Area**

The Chevy Chase Village Board of Managers will convene a Public Hearing during its regular meeting on **Monday, May 13, 2019** regarding implementation of a residency requirement for access to the Dog Exercise Area at the Brookville Road Park. The meeting begins at 7:30 p.m.

Residents who reside directly abutting or near the park have voiced concerns regarding nuisances related to the Dog Exercise Area, including excessive barking from dogs and impacts on available parking on the abutting streets. These neighbors feel that these impacts are a result of overuse of the park and that limiting access to Village residents will mitigate these impacts by lessening the number of people/pets that have access to the park.

Residents who are unable to attend the Public Hearing on May 13 may submit written testimony for the record either by e-mail to ccv@montgomerycountymd.gov or directly to the Village office at 5906 Connecticut Avenue, Chevy Chase, MD 20815.